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**CONFIRMATION NO. 3988** 

**FORMALITIES LETTER** \*OC000000012883630\*

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

## Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$524 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

## **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1424 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$524
  - \$344 for 4 independent claims over 3.
  - \$180 for 10 total claims over 20.

Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE	Attorney Docket No.	1293.1749			
MISSING PARTS	Application Number	10/806,347			
	Filing Date	March 23, 2004			
	First Named Inventor	Sung-hee HWANG et al.			
	Group Art Unit	2655			
Title: METHOD OF OVERWRITING DATA IN WRITE-ONCE INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM AND DATA RECORDING AND/OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS FOR WRITE-ONCE INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM					
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) and in response to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed <u>June 7, 2004</u> for the above-identified application, enclosed are the following:					
□ RETURN COPY of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application					
Executed Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventor(s) for completing the missing parts of the subject application. The undersigned registered attorney states that the subject application is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the attached Declaration.					
☐ Formal Drawings (Sheets; Figs)					
☐ English-language translation of application (with Translator's Statement (pages))					
☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status					
Enclosed is a payment of the following:					
☐ The filing fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §	\$ 770.00				
☐ The additional claim(s) fee (10 claims ov	\$ 180.00				
∑ The additional independent claim(s) fee (4 claims over 3) \$344.0					
☐ Multiple dependent claims \$					
☐ Petition for Extension of Time ( <u>-month</u> )					
☐ English language translation fee					
⊠ Surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.1	\$130.00				
SUBT	\$1424.00				
☐ Reduction by 50% for filing by small entit	y (37 CFR 1.27)	.00			
SUBT	OTAL FEES:	\$1424.00			
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Since the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application set an <u>original</u> due date of _, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$420)); (3 months (\$950)); (4 months (\$1,480)); (5 months (\$2,010)):					
METHOD OF PAYMENT					
$\boxtimes$	Check enclosed as payment.				
	Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. 19-3935, below.				
AUTHORIZATION					
If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:					
Deposit Account No.: 19-3935					
Deposit Account Name: STAAS & HALSEY LLP					
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP					
Туре	d Name	Michael D. Stein	Reg. No.	37,240	
Signa	ature	Mula O A	Date	8/04/04	